



### Young Singer On TV Shows

Little Carol Ann Stevenson is getting off to a big start in the TV-radio entertainment business. She has appeared twice in the past two weeks on the Range Riders TV show, where she sings popular, western and "all kinds of tunes. The 10-year-old vocalist was awarded an \$50 wrist watch for her participation in a KTTV show last week. She also has appeared with the Acordionettes during the past three years.

Carol, whose mother also does singing, has been coached by Nadine Nickols, local voice instructor, for the past three years.

She lives at home with her mommy and daddy, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stevenson of 1344 W. 216th St., and attends the Halldale Elementary School.

### THS Musician Performs With Noted Conductor

John "Rudy" Bowen, Torrance High School student, was among the outstanding musicians from 60 California schools participating in the All-California High School symphony concert at Santa Barbara last Sunday evening.

Sponsored by the Santa Barbara College, the concert was under the direction of Richard Lert, conductor of the Pasadena Civic Orchestra and former music director of the Berlin State Opera.

Bowen was the percussionist for the symphony concert.

### Rites Held For Keystone Fire Victim

Little Julie Anna Morgan, 2, was buried at Green Hills Memorial Park Friday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Cartwright Mortuary, Wilmington, with the Rev. Gordon MacInnes officiating.

Julie was burned to death last week at her Keystone home, 23721 Maribel Ave., when her clothing caught fire while she apparently was playing with matches. Her mother was asleep in an adjoining room.

Survivors include the mother and father, Grace and Hubert Morgan, and a sister, Robin Lynn.

Morgan, a Navy seaman, is stationed at Astoria, Ore.

### PE APPOINTS NEW ASSISTANT AGENT

John Meyer has been named as assistant agent at the local Pacific Electric Railway yards. A resident of Gardena, Meyer joined PE in 1945 and has been assistant agent at El Segundo for the past two and a half years.

K. L. Anderson is the agent here.

### MATCH OUTPUT

Norway produces about 46,000,000 matches per day, it is estimated.

## NORTH TORRANCE TATTLER

By MRS. HELENE ALLISON  
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Good news! Hele Allison came home Saturday a trifle shaky, but that nice smile is there, so it won't be long now before she will be up and about. Nothing could please us more.

Mrs. Mary Selarino, 17029 Atkinson Ave., is also home from the hospital, and doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Barrell became the proud parents of a lovely little red head, Feb. 26. Theresa Lee weighed in at 6 lbs. 10 oz. at the Los Cerritos Hospital in Long Beach. Needless to say the three Barrell children are delighted. Dorothy is fine and Ralph will probably survive!

Thought you might like to know that North Torrance had the largest percentage of votes in favor of the bond issue in the recent election.

Have you noticed the new street markers going up in our community?

May we extend our deepest sympathy to Mrs. Marion Good, 17029 Casimir Ave., in the loss of her mother, Mrs. Adams passed away Feb. 25 at her home in Los Angeles.

The Stauffer residence on Casimir Ave. has been a busy place recently. Both Gary and Tommy Stauffer parted with their tonsils. The boys are recovering rapidly.

Mumps have invaded the Eagle home on Ermanita Ave. and little Larry is the victim. Cheer up Larry, it should only happen once!

Monday, Feb. 25, the Campfire Girls held their meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. Betty Johnson of Atkinson Ave. The girls elected as their new president, Martha Babbs; vice president, Midgie Simmons and secretary, Beverly Stepp.

Mrs. Jerry Bronson was hostess Wednesday evening to a "Tupper Ware" party. The games were hilarious, refreshments excellent and the guest list included Mmes. McBee, Madison, Van Bellechem, Sale, Bee, Halstead, Johnston, Beedon, Black, Hoffman, Alfred, V. Bronson, Davidson and Schultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Bellechem, 2071 W. 162nd St., have had as their guests the past week Harry's parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Van Bellechem of Escondido, Calif. The senior Van Bellechem celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Tuesday, Feb. 26.

Mrs. Thomas J. Fannan, 17320 Crise Ave., attended a dinner in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. S. T. Tuft. Mrs. Tuft sails for Europe in the near future to join her husband, stationed with the military forces in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Colson of Chino Lake, Calif., were weekend guests of their daughter, Mrs. Reese Holbrook, 17512 Crise Ave.

Mr. C. Casper, of Philadelphia, Penn., is visiting the T. Tiltons, 4228 W. 179th St.

Darlene McKee, Sally Collins and the Ed Collins attended the TV program "Hometown Jamboree" Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gordon of Fontana, Calif., also spent the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law the Don Gordons, of 178th Pl.

Wednesday March 5 the "Crenshaw Parents Council," held a most important meeting, at which time they became a unit of Parents and Teachers Association. Officers for the new unit were elected and installed.

Cub Scout Pack 761 in North Torrance are having an ALL OUT pack picnic Saturday, March 15. The boys will be out by 9 a.m. that morning and

every home will be canvassed. Leave your papers on the porch early, or if you need help in handling yours, call Walt Bronson at ME-41245.

Brownie Leader Mrs. Geronimo reported the following girls were invested at their recent ceremony: Janet Ruckle, Donna Fayre, Anita Faubus, Phyllis Bick and Charlotte Reed. One-year pins were given to Tenny Jo Ensworth, Susan Wilson, Sherry Ervin, Ann Louise Gustafson, Janet Jeronimo, Linda Jeronimo, Carol Hamilton, Carolyn Peterson, Sherry Moore, Katie Richabaugh, Chloé Richabaugh, Susan Hayes, Carolyn Vaughn, Joanne Papst, Ellen Mikeska and Paulette Taylor.

Mrs. Lucille Pollock, mother of Mrs. Betty Brewer, 17032 Glenburn Ave., has been critically ill and underwent major surgery last week. We are very happy to report that Mrs. Pollock is now improving and out of danger.

### Potentate Forms Catering Group

Formation of the Al Malakiah Purveyors to feed the several thousand candidates and Shriners expected at the March 15 ceremonials was announced this week by Potentate Charles T. Reichert, division sales manager for the National Supply Co.

Potentate Reichert said the catering group would be headed by 100 Nobles headed by Louis J. Evans of Whittier, Al D. Gianni, of Torrance, has been named an assistant purveyor.

In tribute to Reichert and his company, the March 15 fete will be known as the "Gusher Ceremonial," with an oil field as background for the second (fun) section.

### Salvage Drive Slated to Aid Rehabilitation

A salvage drive to collect cast-off articles to help carry on its program of social rehabilitation will be conducted by the Salvation Army in the Torrance area April 6 to 12. J. Hugh Sherfy Jr., chairman of the Salvage Week committee, announced this week.

Discarded articles donated by residents here, Sherfy said, will be reconitioned in workshops of the Social Service Center and made available to the needy. In addition, he said, the workshop provides thousands of hours of therapy work, meals and beds for handicapped men.

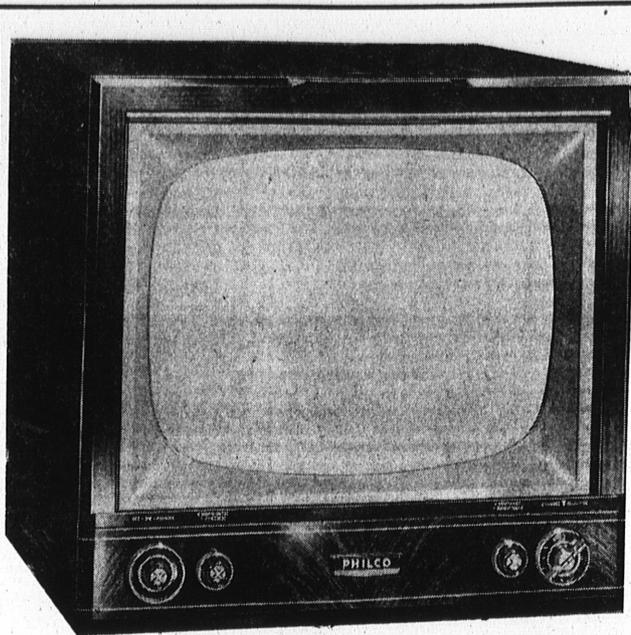
Sherfy is being assisted by committee members: the Rev. C. Miles Northrup, churches; Judge John A. Shidler, schools; Milton Ishai, service clubs, Fredrick Cook, fraternal orders and other clubs; and Mary Vondrahe, press.

A special fleet of trucks will be on duty to make the collections. A call to Torrance 3634 will bring a truck to home or office to make pickups, Sherfy announced.

There is urgent need for used clothing, furniture, home appliances, radios, bedding, dishes, newspapers, magazines and odds and ends.

### Colorado Picnic

Members of the old Centennial State will meet to talk over the changing times Sunday, March 9, at Sycamore Grove when the Colorado Picnic Society throws another all-day picnic for the "Rovers." The program will start at 2 p.m.



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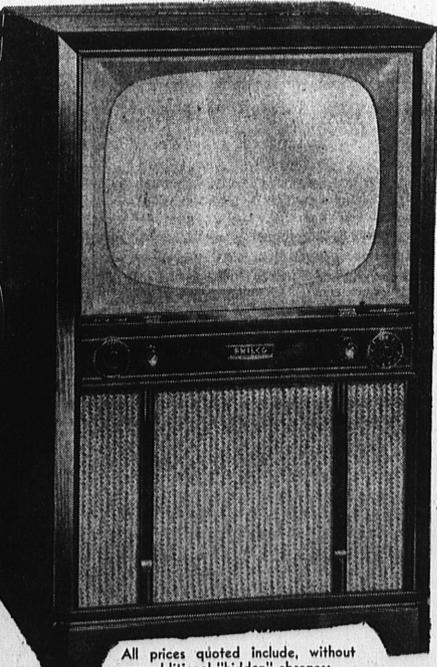
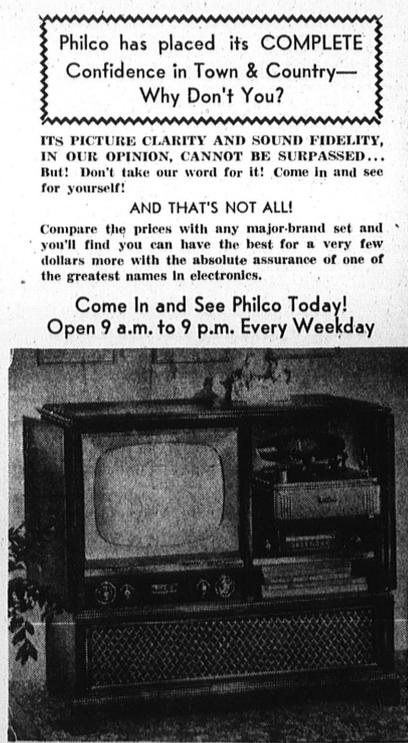
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### Dodge Dealership Sold

Purchase of the Dodge Plymouth dealership, located at 16514 So. Vermont Ave., Gardena, by Oscar Mables was announced here this week.

The agency, one of the area's leaders, has been operated for the past 28 years by the late C. Fred Kerr.

### SUGAR EATERS

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